**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Water Resources Deptt – Conducting various studies to evolve methodology for filling of the plunge pool portion formed on downstream side of Srisailam Dam – Entrusted the work of "Carrying out Under water survey/videography at downstream apron and plunge pool area of NSRS Srisailam Project" to M/s. SEA LION OFFSHORE DIVING Pvt. Ltd, Visakhapatnam for an amount of ₹45,77,220/- (inclusive of all applicable taxes)– Ratification -Orders -Issued.

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WATER RESOURCES (PROJECTS.III) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.RT.No. 356** **Dated: 09-07-2025**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.360, Water Resources (Projects-III) Deptt, dt.08.10.2024.
2. From the CE(P), Kurnool Lr.No.CE(P)/KNL/ICD32-TW/316/2024/(264045)/ DEE/ AE/SrlDm, dt.02-04-2025.
3. G.O.Rt.No.176, Water Resources (Projects.III) Deptt, Dt.17.04.2025.
4. From the CE(P), Kurnool Lr.No.CE(P)/KNL/ICD32-TW0NSRS/6/2025 (2850171)/DEE/ AE/SSLMDM, Dt:02.06.2025.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, Government have accorded administrative approval for "Conducting various studies to evolve methodology for filling of the plunge pool portion formed on downstream side of NSRS Srisailam Project" for an amount of Rs.14.70 Crores (Rupees Fourteen Crores and Seventy lakhs only).

2. Further, based on the request of the Chief Engineer (Projects), Kurnool in the reference 2nd read above, Government, in the reference 3rd read above, accorded permission to the Chief Engineer (Projects), Kurnool, to entrust the work "Carrying out Under Water Survey/Videography at downstream apron and plunge pool area of NSRS Srisailam Project" to the National Institute of Oceanography, Goa which is a Govt. of India Institution for an amount of Rs.51,00,000/- (Rupees Fifty One Lakhs only) on Nomination Basis under sanctioned amount vide G.O.1st read above.

3. The Chief Engineer (Projects), Kurnool, in the reference 4th read above, has submitted that the National Institute of Oceanography (NIO), Goa, has informed that due to ongoing commitments and the onset of the monsoon season, they will not be able to undertake the work until March 2026. He has further submitted that in view of the urgency, the Work Order has been issued to M/s SEA LION OFFSHORE DIVING Pvt. Ltd, Visakhapatnam for an amount of Rs.45,77,220/- (inclusive of all applicable taxes) for the work titled "Carrying out Underwater Photography and Videography for the steel cylinders and Plunge pool area on downstream apron of NSRSSP". He has therefore requested then Government to ratify his action in issuing the Work Order ("Carrying out Underwater Photography and Videography for the steel cylinders and Plunge pool area on downstream apron of NSRSSP") to the firm M/s SEA LION OFFSHORE DIVING Pvt. Ltd, Visakhapatnam for an amount of ₹45,77,220/-.

4. Accordingly, the Government after careful examination of the matter and in super-session of the orders issued in the reference 3rd read above, hereby ratify the action of Chief Engineer (Projects), Kurnool, in issuing the Work Order for "Carrying out Underwater Photography and Videography for the steel cylinders and Plunge pool area on downstream apron of NSRSSP" to the firm M/s SEA LION OFFSHORE DIVING Pvt. Ltd, Visakhapatnam for an amount of Rs.45,77,220/- (forty five lakhs seventy seven thousand and two hundred and twenty only) subject to the condition that the CE(P), Kurnool shall satisfy himself with the quotations proposed, before according technical sanction.

5. The Chief Engineer (Projects), Kurnool shall take necessary action accordingly in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**G SAI PRASAD**
**SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVT**

To
The Chief Engineer(P), Kurnool.
Copy to:
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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER